

REFERENCE TITLE: vehicle license tax; military exemption

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Senator Waring

AN ACT

AMENDING SECTION 28-5811, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; RELATING TO THE VEHICLE LICENSE TAX.

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1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:
2 Section 1. Section 28-5811, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to
3 read:

4 28-5811. Vehicle license tax and registration fee exemption;
5 national guard members and reservists

6 A. Notwithstanding sections 28-2003 and 28-5801, a member of the
7 United States armed forces, including a member of a national guard or reserve
8 unit, ~~who owned or leased a motor vehicle currently registered in this state~~
~~on the date the member received orders to report to active military duty~~
~~outside of this state~~ WHO IS DEPLOYED in support of a worldwide contingency
10 operation of the United States armed forces may REGISTER OR renew the
11 registration of ~~the~~ A motor vehicle for one year OR TWO YEARS without payment
12 of registration fees and the vehicle license tax if the applicant presents
13 evidence satisfactory to the department that the applicant ~~and the motor~~
14 ~~vehicle meet all of~~ MEETS the requirements of this section. THE EXEMPTION
15 FROM PAYMENT OF REGISTRATION FEES AND THE VEHICLE LICENSE TAX PURSUANT TO
16 THIS SUBSECTION MAY BE TAKEN ONLY AS FOLLOWS:

17 1. A TOTAL OF ONE TIME BY THE MEMBER, THE MEMBER'S SPOUSE OR THE
18 MEMBER'S PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION B OF THIS SECTION.

19 2. FROM THE TIME OF DEPLOYMENT UNTIL ONE YEAR AFTER THE MEMBER IS
20 DISCHARGED FROM THE MILITARY.

21 B. This section applies to:

22 1. No more than two motor vehicles ~~that were~~ owned or leased by the
23 member of the United States armed forces ~~on the date the member was called to~~
~~active military duty outside of this state~~.

24 2. The surviving spouse or personal representative of a member of the
25 United States armed forces who met the requirements prescribed in subsection
26 A of this section and who died or who is listed as missing in action while
27 serving on active military duty as provided in subsection A of this section.

28 C. Notwithstanding subsection A of this section, a person who would
29 otherwise qualify for an exemption under subsection A of this section and
30 whose registration fees and vehicle license tax for a motor vehicle were paid
31 during the time the member of the United States armed forces was on active
32 military duty ~~outside of this state AS PROVIDED IN SUBSECTION A OF THIS~~
33 ~~SECTION~~ is not entitled to a refund but may apply the registration fees and
34 vehicle license taxes paid for the motor vehicle to the next registration
35 ~~year~~ PERIOD for that motor vehicle.